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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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For: MODULAR SHELVING SYSTEM

Enclosed are:

- 6 sheets of informal drawings.  
 An assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_  
 A certified copy of a \_\_\_\_\_ application.  
 An associate power of attorney.  
 Small entity status: Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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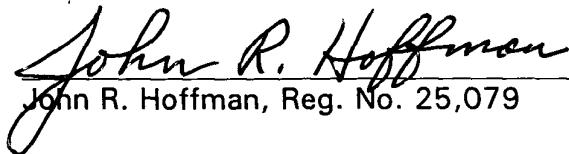
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| BASIC FEE                          | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |
| TOTAL CLAIMS                       | 16 - 20 =  | * 0        |
| INDEP. CLAIMS                      | 3 - 3 =    | * 0        |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENTED |            |            |

| SMALL ENTITY |        | OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY |        |
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| RATE         | FEES   | RATE                      | FEES   |
| [REDACTED]   | \$ 375 | [REDACTED]                | \$ 750 |
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